EXHIBIT D

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA

SERGIO GROBLER, Individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

Case No.: 4:22-cv-00045-JSV-JEM

v.

CLASS ACTION

INOTIV, INC., ROBERT W. LEASURE, and BETH A. TAYLOR,

Defendants.

DECLARATION OF ROWENA OCHOA IN SUPPORT OF HER MOTION FOR <u>APPOINTMENT AS LEAD PLAINTIFF</u>

- I, Rowena Ochoa, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, declare as follow:
- 1. I respectfully submit this Declaration in support of my motion for appointment as Lead Plaintiff in the above-captioned securities class action (the "Action") against Inotiv, Inc. ("Inotiv" or the "Company"). I have personal knowledge about the facts stated herein and could competently testify to them if called to do so.
- 2. I currently reside in Austin, Texas. I am currently employed as a Client Manager/Account Executive at Optum Services. I also have a Texas state insurance license and college-level training in business management. I have been investing in securities for 18 years. Further, I have experience hiring and overseeing attorneys for personal injury, family, and estate planning matters.
- 3. I am both capable and qualified to serve as the lead plaintiff in the Action. By virtue of my significant financial interest in the resolution of the Action, I am motivated to litigate vigorously, efficiently, and to the best of my ability to maximize the potential recovery for myself and the Class I seek to represent.

4. Prior to seeking appointment as lead plaintiff in the Action, I communicated with

attorneys at Levi & Korsinsky, LLP about the lead plaintiff process, the responsibilities of a lead

plaintiff, and how the Action would progress after a lead plaintiff is appointed. I understand that a

lead plaintiff is required to direct the litigation, stay apprised of all material developments of the

litigation, and obtain the best possible recovery for the Class.

5. I understand that I was not required to seek appointment as lead plaintiff in order

to recover. Rather, based on my financial interest, I decided to seek lead plaintiff appointment than

remain an absent class member.

6. After discussing the responsibilities of serving as a lead plaintiff and being satisfied

that Levi & Korsinsky, LLP would adequately serve as lead counsel based on the firm's

experience, resources, and past successes, I signed a retainer agreement with Levi & Korsinsky,

LLP, and authorized the firm to file a lead plaintiff motion on my behalf. I understand that my

counsel is submitting this declaration along with a timely application for appointment as lead

plaintiff on my behalf.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing

statements related to myself are true and correct.

Signed:

Name: Rowena Ochoa

Date: 8/17/2022

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